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In re Patent Application of:  
Gary W. Beall

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For: **ALLERGEN ABSORBENT, BLOCKING, AND  
DEACTIVATING COMPOSITIONS AND  
METHOD**

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116(c))**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 12, 2003, finally rejecting claims 33, 34, 35 and 36, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.